

MANY VIRGINIA POINTS SEND SOLDIERS TO CAMP

Noted Orator Misses Train Connection and Speaks to Men at the Parade Ground.

AIRPLANE VISITS FREQUENT

Photographs, Are Made of Camp Lee, Showing Surrounding Territory. Aged Virginia Couple Writes to Red Cross Praising Work Done.

CAMP LEE, VA., July 23.—In the first lot of drafted men who come to Camp Lee were 349 from various parts of Virginia. A continuous stream of these men may be seen at almost any time marching from the parade ground to the mustering office and from there to the barracks. Attired in military costume they present a striking contrast to the men in uniform, who have preceded them. A few days, however, will efface this distinction and the new soldiers will be settled to their work. The men who arrived the first day came in largest numbers from the Counties of Charlotte, Craig, Campbell, Pittsylvania, Floyd, Franklin, Giles, Halifax, Henry, Pulaski, Patrick, Roanoke, Smyth, Wythe, Clark, Mecklenburg and the cities of Danville and Roanoke. Many other counties are represented by small quotas. The men have been assigned to the Fifth and Fifty-second Companies of the Thirtieth Battalion, Depot Brigade. Because he failed to make his train connection, Dr. James E. Freeman, the well known American orator, was unable to deliver his talk in the Y. M. C. Auditorium on Sunday afternoon. Upon his arrival, however, arrangements were made for him to speak to the soldiers on the parade ground on Monday evening. At that time a crowd numbering several thousands assembled and after a number of selections played by the depot brigade band, Dr. Freeman was introduced. The subject of his address was "The American Army," and he interpreted for his hearers just what the great National Army is and what it means to the world. His talk was received with great enthusiasm and applause.

Major C. R. Lewis, of the general staff of the United States Army, was a visitor to camp on Monday and Tuesday. He came to inspect the training battalions, and in the course of his rounds he stopped also at the reserve officers' training school.

CHANGES ARE MADE IN BATTALION COMMANDERS

Since the transfer of a number of battalion commanders from the depot brigade to the replacement camp other officers have been appointed as their successors. In the Fourth Battalion, Major William Chantland has assumed the duties of commander, and in the Ninth Battalion, Captain Robert E. Lee, of the Thirty-fifth Company, has relieved Major Evelyn Harrison.

An interesting letter has been received by Field Director C. C. Pinckney, of the Red Cross, from an old couple in West Virginia, who have been confined to the base hospital. This letter besides its subject, interest serves to illustrate something of one phase of the work undertaken by the Red Cross Society, a work respected and honored by the world over for its broad humanity. The letter reads:

Palestine, W. Va., July 20, 1913.

Mr. C. C. Pinckney,

Camp Lee, Va.

My Dear Sir: Your very kind and welcome letter received in regard to my son's sickness. Words cannot express our gratitude for your kindness. Both his mother and I feel perfectly sure that your reward will be granted by a high power. Many thanks and I assure you that his mother and I will always pray for the upbuild of you and your associates. May the blessings of the Allwise always follow you in your good work.

Thanking you again, we are with the utmost respect,

JOHN A. RATHBONE AND WIFE.

In prosecuting such work as is indicated by this letter, Kirkwood, of the base hospital, every day Mr. Mitchell secures a list of names of those patients who are too sick to write home and, accompanied by a stenographer, he takes from these men such messages as they may wish to send to relatives or friends.

Last Saturday a very pretty wedding was celebrated at the Red Cross headquarters, when Miss Virgie Pollard, of Bedford, Va., became the wife of Private Charles Palmer, of Danville. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Pitt, of the Y. M. C. A. The bride was accompanied to camp by Mrs. Nixon, of the Petersburg Red Cross chapter, and Mrs. Urquhart, of the Y. W. C. A.

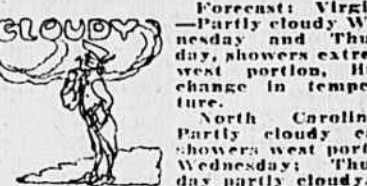
TEN CAMP LEE SOLDIERS TAKE THIRTY-SECOND DEGREE. Captain James R. Law returned recently from a trip to Bloomsburg, Pa. where he went to take the thirty-second degree in the Masonic Order. About ten others went from Camp Lee. Captain Law reports that a great gathering assembled at Bloomsburg, which is one of the largest cities in the country, and that 642 presented themselves for the degree of whom 620 were soldiers. Forty-five States were represented.

"Fatal Auto Accident Reported." A report from Hagerstown, Md., says this morning that an automobile party from that city, touring in Virginia, had met with a collision and that a Mrs. Endler had been killed and her son seriously injured. It was supposed that her husband was driving the car at the time. No direct report of the accident had been received here, but it was said that the accident had occurred in the neighborhood of Occlesville.

Anything can be bought or sold through Times-Dispatch Want Ads.

The Weather

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Forecast: Virginia—Partly cloudy Wednesday and Thursday, showers extreme west portion, little change in temperature.

Local Temperature Yesterday: 12 noon temperature, 86; 3 P. M. temperature, 89; 8 P. M. temperature, 81; Maximum temperature to 8 P. M., 90; Minimum temperature to 8 P. M., 67; Mean temperature to 8 P. M., 78; Normal temperature for this date, 80; Deficiency yesterday, 2; Deficiency since March 1, 395.

Local Rainfall: Rainfall last twenty-four hours, None; Excess since March 1, 3.22; Excess since January 1, 2.93.

Local Observations at 8 P. M.: Temperature, 84; humidity, 61; wind, direction, southwest; wind, velocity, 3 miles; weather, cloudy.

CONDITIONS IN IMPORTANT CITIES: Place, 8 P. M. High, Low, Weather. Asheville, 68, 84, 66, Cloudy; Atlanta, 68, 84, 66, Cloudy; Baltimore, 68, 84, 66, Cloudy; Boston, 68, 84, 66, Cloudy; Buffalo, 68, 84, 66, Cloudy; Charleston, 68, 84, 66, Cloudy; Chicago, 68, 84, 66, Cloudy; Denver, 68, 84, 66, Cloudy; Detroit, 68, 84, 66, Cloudy; Evansville, 68, 84, 66, Cloudy; Havana, 68, 84, 66, Cloudy; Jacksonville, 68, 84, 66, Cloudy; Kansas City, 68, 84, 66, Cloudy; Montgomery, 68, 84, 66, Cloudy; New Orleans, 68, 84, 66, Cloudy; Norfolk, 68, 84, 66, Cloudy; Pittsburgh, 68, 84, 66, Cloudy; Raleigh, 68, 84, 66, Cloudy; St. Louis, 68, 84, 66, Cloudy; San Francisco, 68, 84, 66, Cloudy; Savannah, 68, 84, 66, Cloudy; Tampa, 68, 84, 66, Cloudy; Washington, 68, 84, 66, Cloudy; Wytheville, 68, 84, 66, Cloudy.

MINIATURE ALMANAC: July 24, 1913. HIGH TIDE: Sun rises, 6:05; Morning, 5:41; Sun sets, 8:21; Evening, 6:59.

MISS BRYANT RESIGNS

Home Demonstration Agent in Charge of Dehydration Plant to Move to Wilmington.

Miss Laura Judd Bryant, assistant home demonstration agent of Richmond, has tendered her resignation to take effect August 1. After a month's rest, Miss Bryant will go to Wilmington, Delaware, as emergency demonstration agent. In Wilmington, she will have a considerably increased scope for her activities and will have an assistant in the work there. Miss Bryant has done splendid work in Richmond in connection with the dehydration plant, which together with the steam pressure canner is being run at present in the Second Market under her supervision.

New workers in the home demonstration office at Richmond are Miss Mary Southern and Miss Walters, who with Miss Mary E. Frazer will take care of the work in Richmond after the departure of Miss Bryant. The home demonstration activities in Richmond, as well as in other cities of Virginia, are under the direct supervision of Miss Ellen A. Reynolds.

Czerina May Form Cabinet

LONDON, July 23.—According to reports from Vienna published in Berlin, it is probable that Emperor Charles will ask Count Czerina, the former Austro-Hungarian Foreign Minister, to form a new Austrian Cabinet, says an "Exchange Telegraph" dispatch from Amsterdam.

Three Years Spent in German Schools

An excellent insight into the workings of the German educational system is contained in an article by F. H. Kelly, which appears in today's Times-Dispatch. Mr. Kelly is particularly fitted for the task, for he was a pupil in German schools for three years of his boyhood. The roots of much that we have come to regard as Hun kultur are planted in the youths at the German schools. The military and jingoistic idea is inculcated, and no schoolboy would ever think of questioning the authority of any one placed over him. It is the same attitude that enabled the war lords to launch the world war for the glory of the fatherland. Mr. Kelly's article will well repay the reader who wishes to obtain first-hand knowledge of the thoroughness of German schools in certain particulars.



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ADMINISTRATIVE BOARD TRIED AND FOUND WANTING

Augustine Royall Makes Strong Argument for Charter Changes at South Side Meeting.

"MOST EXPENSIVE LUXURY"

Says He Will Gladly Cast His Vote on August 6 to Wipe It From the Slate—Hawkins and Anderson Explain Proposed Changes.

With Dr. D. R. Anderson, executive secretary of the Civic Association of Richmond, to outline in some detail the proposed amendments to the Richmond City Charter and explain their effect, and Councilman Carter C. Jones of Madison Ward, O. A. Hawkins and Augustine Royall to demonstrate the concrete advantages to be derived by voting for the amendments, the Bainbridge Junior High School last night for about three hours was a meadow of enthusiastic charter change sentiment. Stein's band was on hand to add "Dixie," "The Star-Spangled Banner," "America," and other tunes to the demonstration, in which about 300 South Richmond voters participated with wild applause. John Hirschberg, chairman of the Administrative Board, was an interested listener during the discussion.

"The Administrative Board," declared Augustine Royall, the last speaker on the program, amid almost constant cheering, "has been tried and found wanting. It has been the most expensive luxury the city of Richmond has ever had. There is no use to us mealy-mouthed. I want it abolished, and I shall gladly cast my vote to wipe it from the slate. I do not believe in voting for personal reasons at all; so I am going with pleasure to the polls to vote for the amendments as a sacred duty to my family and my country. Let it out of your head that your vote is your own; it belongs to the welfare of the public."

At this point the speaker declared that he would be astonished if the ninth precinct registered a single vote against the amendments. "It is due," he said, "to you in whose honest eyes I now gaze. You have been too busy with your business and have become mired; but," he added strongly, "you have been in fact spendthrifts to incur your city government to operate on whom you cannot place responsibility." He stated that refusing to vote for the charter changes would be clinging to fragments of prejudice and like riding a dead horse to market to transact a bit of business when the trains are running hourly, and that it was recognized as rank folly to shut the eyes and grip tenaciously the outworn and obsolete. Such action he called the throwing away of substance.

GET AWAY FROM OUTWORN AND OBSOLETE METHODS

Mr. Royall stated that there was no need without a cause, and then concluded that the inefficiency of municipal government in this country, as charged by Lord Bryce, of England, several years ago, was due to the fact that the people were "not mindless of their interests. It is due," he said, "to you in whose honest eyes I now gaze. You have been too busy with your business and have become mired; but," he added strongly, "you have been in fact spendthrifts to incur your city government to operate on whom you cannot place responsibility." He stated that refusing to vote for the charter changes would be clinging to fragments of prejudice and like riding a dead horse to market to transact a bit of business when the trains are running hourly, and that it was recognized as rank folly to shut the eyes and grip tenaciously the outworn and obsolete. Such action he called the throwing away of substance.

Councilman Jones stated the case frankly: "Do you want a centralized form of government where you can control your vote—a simplified, efficient and economical government on which you can place the responsibility? We are making an effort to place the complete control of the municipal government and the purse strings in your hands; for it is your government. Men no longer carry precincts in their pockets. You want the obvious improvement and the way for you to get them is to mark out of the ballot the words 'against amendments.'" He also read a report from the City Auditor, showing that for the past four years the Administrative Board yearly had requested an average of nearly \$2,000,000 more than the city's income. He then asked how such economists could have the face to request citizens who pay the taxes to vote for them.

ANSWER AS TO "ONE MAN" GOVERNMENT

Dr. Anderson, Carter Jones and O. A. Hawkins, all three, explained the camouflage of the "one-man government" argument circulated by the opponents of the amendments. Mr. Hawkins explained that it was the aspiration of all honest men to have the world better than they found it, and that this rule applied at present to Richmond. He related the history of the fire that destroyed the Spotless

Company through the inefficiency and lack of cooperation of the department. He then told his audience that the way to remedy such evils was to vote for the changes. He related concrete examples of inadequate sanitation in numerous houses along the heights of Franklin and Grand Streets, between Third and Sixth Streets, and charged that a profit of \$175,000 in 1912 on the water supply was not right. He also told others, asserted that this city was the verge of being placed on the "pink list" by fire insurance companies, which will either stop doing business here or else quadruple their rates.

Dr. Anderson explained the actual theory of the amendments, showing how the proposed changes of service offered direct shoulders for placing of responsibilities. He told his audience that the amendments provided for the recommendation of only four of these members of the groups by the Mayor, the other two being elected by the Council, by which means the councilman condemnation the six are directly responsible to the Council, which is responsible to the voters. Only the director of the public safety is likely to be changed, who is not now provided for, the difference being that the amendments point the finger of responsibility at them in the new capacity.

He dwelt at length on the budget system, which proposed to have the Mayor prepare a budget and not merely sign one prepared by the Council. And in this case he has an advisory board. It is then up to the Mayor to know if the budget is reasonable and not merely patting it. Dr. Anderson stated that the bill, prepared by the Council committee and passed by that body as well as by the General Assembly and signed by the Governor, was the product of three years' thought, and not a mushroom growth from the mind of one inspired fanatic. He said that the proposed changes to be voted on, August 6, were the boiled-down substance of the best element of the commission, city-manager and other forms of municipal government. He spoke much time in showing the prejudice and fallacies in arguments against the amendments.

Charged With Robbery

His taste having run in a rather unedifying direction, James Gilyard, colored, was arrested last night on the charge of having broken into a jewelry shop, situated at 11 Nicholson Street, and having stolen a goodly number of miscellaneous articles, such as: bracelet, old clothes and the like. Gilyard is now lodged in the First Police Station, awaiting a hearing of his case. L. J. Kelly, who is charged with having entered the home of Charles Smith, of King and Queen County, was apprehended last night in Richmond.

DEATHS IN VIRGINIA

Mrs. D. T. Williams. Mrs. Sarah Wilmoth Williams, widow of David Terry Williams, died Monday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock at her home, 1022 Park Avenue. Her funeral will take place this morning at 10 o'clock from the Second Presbyterian Church. Mrs. Williams is survived by a daughter, Mrs. H. H. Miles Gilbert. She was the grandmother of Mrs. Norman Hickman, Mrs. Howard Fairfax Cammon and Riley Miles Gilbert, Jr., of New York. She is also survived by a sister, Mrs. J. W. Collier, of Pittsylvania County, and three brothers, Judge Samuel W. Williams, former attorney-general of Virginia; Judge Martin Williams, of Giles County, and Archer Williams, of Wytheville.

The following will act as honorary pallbearers: James A. Monahan, James Lewis Anderson, Walter W. Morton, James B. Pace, Jr., Dr. Charles Edwards, Joseph Perrin, W. Greener Neale, General Charles Anderson, Robert S. Gray, H. H. McVey, John Montague, George Harvey Clarke, W. R. Johnson and Maxwell T. Donnan, of Petersburg.

William Albert Parkinson, formerly of New Kent County, died at the Sheltering Arms Hospital on Monday in his sixty-sixth year. He was buried at Emmons Church, New Kent County, yesterday.

Funeral of E. P. Murphy

Funeral services for Edward P. Murphy, eighty-three years old, president of E. P. Murphy & Sons, Inc., coal dealers, and a brother of the late Colonel John Murphy, proprietor of Murphy's Hotel, who died at his home, 318 North Harrison Street, yesterday morning, will be held to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock from Sacred Heart Cathedral.

Mr. Murphy was born in County Cork, Ireland, October 31, 1835. He came to Richmond in May 1852, and since that time had been actively identified with the business interests of the city.

Mr. Murphy was a Confederate veteran, having been a member of the Natchez Rifles, a crack Mississippi regiment. He was twice promoted for gallantry on the field of battle and later declined a Lieutenantcy. He was wounded in the battles of Malvern Hill and Frazier's farm. Some years ago he received a Confederate cross of honor, showing he was a sergeant of Company G, Twelfth Mississippi volunteers.

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